

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph [0002] with the following amended paragraph:

[0002] This application is also related to U.S. Patent No. 6,673,280, issued January 6, 2004, and U.S. patent application Serial number 10/782,275, filed on February 19, 2004, for INORGANIC FIBER INSULATION MADE FROM GLASS FIBERS AND POLYMER BONDING FIBERS, and U.S. patent application Serial number 11/049,692, filed on February 4, 2004 for INSULATION CONTAINING A MIXED LAYER OF TEXTILE FIBERS AND ROTARY AND/OR FLAME ATTENUATED FIBERS, AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, which are also commonly assigned and hereby incorporated by reference.